Sir:

PATENT Customer No. 22852 Attorney Docket No. 02860.0707-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Shigeru HOSOE)) Group Art Unit: 1731
Application No. 10/829,051)) Examiner: Lopez, Carlos N.
Filed: April 20, 2004) Confirmation No. 7405
For: MOLDING DIE FOR OPTICAL ELEMENT, OPTICAL ELEMENT AND MASTER DIE)))
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2006, the period for response to which extends through May 29, 2007, by the attached Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper and begin on page 2.

Remarks follow the Amendment section of this paper.